

## **WOMT Notes**

### **October 7, 2014 Meeting**

#### **1. General Information:**

##### **CVP**

- *Keswick Release to upper Sacramento River @ 5,000 cfs*
- *Nimbus Release to lower American River @ 1050 cfs*
- *Goodwin Release to Stanislaus River @ 200 cfs*
- *Jones Pumping Plant is 800 cfs (1 unit) through Wednesday. Beginning Thursday, cycle 1 unit to 1 day off, 2 days on.*
- *X-channel Gates: Open*
- *Federal Share of San Luis 241 TAF*

##### **SWP**

- *Oroville Release to Feather River @ 1500 cfs*
- *Clifton Court Allotment @ 800 cfs, to 300 cfs/day beginning tomorrow.*
- *State Share of San Luis @ 220 TAF*

##### **Delta**

- *Freeport Flow approx. 6700 cfs*
- *Vernalis Flow approx. 570 cfs*
- *Delta Outflow approx. 3800 cfs*

### **FISH UPDATES:**

- **NMFS – CV Salmonids and Sturgeon:** No recommendations, NMFS is monitoring triggers for Delta Cross Channel gate closure, none tripped since October 1.
- **USFWS – Delta Smelt:** SWG has not met so far this water year, NTR
- **DFW – Longfin Smelt:** NTR

### **SWRCB:**

- **Division of Water Rights –** If there is a significant valley floor precipitation event, SWRCB will notify individual diverters currently under a curtailment order via e-mail that they may begin storing water

**Water Project Operations Controlling Factors:** West Delta Water Quality, Delta Outflow requirements and Rio Vista flow requirements are all being monitored for compliance. Currently, west Delta salinity has increased above concern levels and the projects are curtailing Delta diversions to increase Delta outflow and repel west Delta salinity intrusion.

2. **WOMT Decisions** - WOMT decided to begin scheduling weekly calls with the understanding they may be cancelled if there is little to discuss.